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15 CTS. A WEEK

The Merchant Trusting to Luck Will Lose to the Competitor Trusting to Publicity

New Belts and Ladies' Neckwear

We have just received a nice, new lot of Open-in-the-Back Belts, in White and Black Kid and the new Rattle Snake color, at

25c and 50c.

Also some pretty new designs in Neckwear, in Embroidered Turn-Overs, Lace and Chiffon Stocks. . . .

It is our constant aim to always have something new on display in our store.

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BIG KANSAS CITY STORM

Does Great Damage By Filling Basements With Water, and Driving People From Homes.

Special to the Herald.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 23.—The heaviest downpour of rain ever recorded here fell for four hours this morning. The precipitation was five and ninety-three hundredths inches.

Houses were flooded, railway and street car traffic was blocked, streets were washed out, hundreds of basements were inundated, and many graves at Elmwood cemetery are reported washed open.

The streets of the city became solid masses of water, and in East Seventeenth street the water ran six feet deep. The fire and police departments had to be called on to assist many people in making escapes from their homes.

R. M. Riggs and wife and child and Frank Dipp and wife were almost drowned in their beds in Kansas City, Kansas.

Water backed into the basement of the Kansas City Star's plant and did much damage. Vivid lightning and terrifying thunder accompanied the storm.

Water stood two feet deep in the union depot. Kansas City was the center of the storm, though heavy rains fell in surrounding towns and country. At St. Joseph a section of the wall of the new auditorium caved in. Two inches of rain is reported

from Harrisonville, Mo., and over three inches at Lawrence, Kansas.

A GHASTLY SIGHT

Followed the Kansas City Flood This Morning.—Bodies Washed Away.

Special to the Herald.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 23.—A large number of corpses were washed from their graves in Elmwood cemetery by the flood following the unprecedented rain this morning. A deep excavation made for sewer construction purposes became a huge sluice, which washed away its banks. Bodies of men, women and children were wrested by the flood not only from the grave, but in many cases from the casket, and lay along the path of the flood. Persons living in the vicinity of the cemetery estimate that between one and two hundred bodies were washed up, and say some of the corpses were washed into the Blue river near by.

The cemetery employees, out of respect to the feelings of the relatives, concealed the facts, hastily covering each body with earth. Many bodies were replaced in original graves, and others as nearly in place as could be located. Fragments of skeletons, caskets and grave markers lay along the path of the flood, which in places was twenty feet deep.

ICE MAGNATES IN CRIMINAL COURT

PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY OF ICE COMPANIES ARE CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY.

Special to the Herald.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 23.—Criminal proceedings against the local ice magnates were begun today. Prosecuting Attorney Kimbrell filed information in the criminal court charging W. F. Lyons, president of the Central Ice Company, with conspiracy to defraud and with perjury, and Harry Burk, secretary of the People's Ice Company, with conspiracy to defraud. The charges grew out of the pending ouster proceedings under the anti-trust law against the local ice companies.

Lyons and Burk were arrested today, and after entering a plea of not guilty gave bond.

WILL BE CARED FOR.

Governor of Valparaiso Appeals to People to Be Brave.

Special to the Herald.

Valparaiso, Aug. 23.—The governor's proclamation, issued today, assures the people who lost everything in the earthquake disaster that their needs will be supplied and that sufficient resources are in hand for the relief work. The proclamation closes with an appeal for energy, self-denial and patriotism on the part of Chileans and asks for their co-operation in maintaining order and safety. Thousands of people are still leaving the city.

Not Yet Announced.

Up to noon Hon. T. M. Campbell had not made public his intentions for the Labor day speech. He will surely speak at some point, but as yet has made no announcement.

GENERAL BELL GOES TO SEE PRESIDENT

ABOUT TROUBLE WITH NEGRO TROOPS AT BROWNSVILLE, AND WANTS TO GET HIS VIEWS.

Special to the Herald.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 23.—General Bell, chief of staff, consulted President Roosevelt today with regard to the Brownsville trouble caused by negro troops. The general declined to state what decision was reached, but before seeing the president said: "In order that we may act according to the president's wishes I came here to consult him personally. The negro companies at Brownsville have already been replaced by white troops, the former being sent to Fort Reno. Considerable feeling, however, exists, and the president's last message to the department was a bit ambiguous. I came here to get his exact views."

REMOVAL OF NEGROES

Does Not Mean That Fort Brown Will Be Abandoned.

Special to the Herald.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 23.—It is stated at the war department that the removal of the troops from Fort Brown does not necessarily mean the abandonment of the fort. Although the department feels some resentment at the Brownsville attitude, it is believed a full complement of white troops will be eventually sent to Fort Brown. Perhaps this may be done within the next few weeks.

OTHER NEGRO TROOPS

Are Not to Be Removed From Texas As Result of Brownsville Riot.

Special to the Herald.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 23.—The trouble with the negro troops at Brownsville will not affect the other colored troops stationed in Texas. Three companies of the Twenty-fifth Infantry are at Fort Bliss, and three other companies are at Fort McIntosh and these companies will not be disturbed under the present plan.

New York Failure.

Special to the Herald.

New York, Aug. 23.—Franklin and Billings, members of the consolidated stock exchange, failed today. Liabilities are placed at \$100,000, with assets at \$40,000.



Fancy Vests.

We are showing several hundred White and Fancy Vests, of the very newest styles and patterns, and it would be well for you to call and look them over. . . .

Prices \$1.50, \$2.50

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MAKERS NEW YORK
Correct Clothes for Men

NARROW ESCAPE OF TRAIN CREWS

PASSENGER TRAIN FROM THE WEST THIS MORNING RAN INTO OPEN SWITCH AT HEARNE.

The passenger train which reached the city this morning at 8:05, some thirty minutes behind its schedule time, came near getting into a serious snarl-up this morning. Coming into Hearne the train ran into an open switch and before the speed could be checked the passenger engine tore into the caboose of a freight train, tearing it all to pieces. A man was asleep in the freight caboose, but came out of it without injury. The pilot and smoke stack on the passenger engine were also torn off. How the switch came to be open, or who was responsible, is not yet known, as least not made public. It was a close call. No one was injured.

PALESTINE YIELDS

To Some Other Texas City in Conceding to Mr. Campbell Labor Day.

After a thorough canvass of the situation the citizens of Palestine in meeting yesterday afternoon voted to abandon the idea of a big Labor Day celebration and state ratification of Mr. Campbell's nomination in this city. Many of the friends of Mr. Campbell argued that inasmuch as we have the gentleman with us at all times, and that we have already held two monster demonstrations, and in view of the further fact that Mr. Campbell was being besieged by numerous other Texas cities to be their guest on Labor Day, that it would be ungenerous on the part of his home people to retain him on this occasion, and yielding to this sentiment it was voted to release the nominee from the demand to speak here and grant him the pleasure of making his own appointment for that day. Palestine has already done herself proud, and is now willing to share the honor of testifying to Mr. Campbell's popularity with other sections of the state. There will be no state-wide demonstration in Palestine on that day.

INSURGENT LEADER KILLED.

Panderas, Negro Insurgent Leader, And Two Companions Killed.

Special to the Herald.

Havana, Aug. 23.—General Banderas, a negro insurgent leader, with two companions, was killed this morning in a fight with the rurales guards.

False Report.

A report was current in the city this morning that in a difficulty in Houston last night one of the Condos Bros., formerly of this city, was seriously injured. Mr. Booth telephoned there today and the entire report is denied. There is nothing to it.

Just received—Shipment of latest folders and cards for fall trade, at Slaight's Studio, on Oak street. 6t

TO FREDERICKSBURG.

Hon. T. M. Campbell Will Speak in That City on September Tenth.

District Judge Clarence Martin of Fredericksburg spent yesterday in the city. He came here for the purpose of getting Col. Campbell to speak to his town and county people on the occasion of the big annual fair there. Mr. Campbell has agreed to go, and will speak in that city on the tenth of September.

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All of which is going at Greatly Reduced Prices.

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Men's Outfitters.

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No matter how adversely the fates have treated you. Lot of comfort in that—to say nothing of loan values of real property when the times pinch too hard. Let us show you how to acquire a home on small but regular periodical payments. Advice given free. . . .



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Novelty Silk Belts, worth 75c, for this week. . . 49c
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400 pcs. Muslin Underwear, differ-

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